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## Local and General

Mrs. W. Smith, of Calgary, late of Crossfield, is visiting in town, being the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Cumins have started housekeeping in the house recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Oyler, on Ogden-street.

Don't forget the Women's Guild are serving a Thanksgiving Dinner on Monday Evening, Oct. 13th, to be held in the Sample Room at the Hotel, after the afternoon program.

Quite a family gathering took place at the home of your Editor in honor of his Son Harry and family homecoming from Overseas. About 20 relatives were present to do the honors on Sunday last and a good photograph was secured of the gathering.

Help make October 13, 14 and 15 the Chautauqua days, the big day of 1919.

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Next Sunday Thanksgiving Sunday  
The Pastor will preach on the Subject, "Thanksgiving Message for 1919." Choir Practice Thursday 8 p.m. Sunday Oct. 12th. Introduction of Prayer Campaign, a cordial welcome extended to all.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Armstrong of Carstairs, late of Crossfield paid a business trip the beginning of the week.

Potato digging was the general rule in town at the beginning of the week. The severe weather on Wednesday put a damper on operations.

Harvest Festival Services took place at the Church of the Ascension on Sunday last. The Church was tastefully decorated by the Ladies. Good congregations were present at both Services and listened attentively to eloquent sermons preached by the Rev. J. P. Dingle.

Roland Amery has discarded their Saxon Six and is now sporting a new Dodge.

The Council have decided to purchase a plot of land South of Town to be used as a Nuisance Ground, the present Nuisance Ground is to be cleared up.

Hugh McBean has been appointed the Sanitary Inspector for the Village.

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## Proportional Representation

The action of the recent Industrial Conference held at Ottawa in unanimously endorsing the principle of proportional representation, and asking the Dominion Government to take the necessary steps to study the question, with a view to its application in elections in this country, coupled with announcement that the Government had decided upon such a course, brings appreciably nearer the day when this reform in the electoral machinery of Canada will become an accomplished fact.

The principle of proportional representation has now been approved by such large and influential bodies as the Canadian Council of Agriculture, representing the organized farmers of Canada; the Great War Veterans' Association, the National Labor Convention at Ottawa last August, the Labor party, Social Service Councils, and numerous other smaller organizations. The Speaker's Electoral Reform Conference of the British Parliament has reported in favor of the application of P.R. to certain classes of constituencies; it has been incorporated in the constitution of the new German republic, is already in operation in Belgium, Tasmania and other countries, and has been tested with complete satisfaction and success in municipal elections in the British Isles, and also in the Universities elections for the British House of Commons.

Nevertheless, we venture to say that if the average Canadian was asked to explain what proportional representation means, and how it

works, he would be at a loss. And it may well be frankly admitted that it is not a easy matter to explain in a short article, especially to those who have our present system of election of representatives to parliament, legislatures and municipal councils by large majority vote firmly fixed in their minds. However, in view of the fact that proportional representation is now a live issue in this country, it is well that an attempt, at least, should be made to explain this new system, its method, and the results which are sought to be attained by it, even though such an attempt may necessitate a series of two or three articles.

The aim and object of our electoral machinery should be to secure justice and freedom to all citizens, whether in a majority or a minority, to the end that they may be fairly represented in parliament, and also that they should have the widest possible choice in electing those who are to speak for them in parliament. Edmund Burke said that the virtue of the House of Commons "consists in its being the express image of the nation." If it is not that, it quickly loses the confidence of the people, and with that confidence the authority it should possess to speak and act for the people.

It must be frankly admitted that our present system of one-member constituencies—and that one member elected by a bare majority of votes cast over the next highest candidate—does not secure to the people a truly representative parliament. For example, in the Dominion general elections of 1904, the Liberals in Nova Scotia polled 56,526 votes and elected 18 members, while the Conservatives, who polled 46,131 votes, did not elect a single member. Public opinion in Nova Scotia was not truly represented in parliament.

In the British Columbia provincial elections of 1912, although the Liberals polled about 37 per cent. of the total vote, they failed to elect a single representative, the result being there was no opposition party in the legislature to act as critic of and check upon the Government. In the following election, the situation was almost reversed, the Liberals winning on overwhelming victory, nearly every Conservative minister being defeated, and the opposition elected so small in numbers as to be almost ineffective.

In other words, minorities under the present system are almost entirely unrepresented—a fatal defect in any true system of responsible, representative government. Proportional representation aims to correct these inequalities and give the nearest possible approach to "one vote, one value."

An essential feature of any proportional scheme that will yield the most satisfactory results is the creation of constituencies returning several members, instead of the present system of one-member constituencies.

Applied to one-member constituencies, but not with the same beneficial results which three, four or five-member constituencies will produce. Under proportional representation, therefore, the city of Montreal, instead of being divided into some ten one-member constituencies, would constitute one electoral district, which would elect 10 members. The same thing would be true of Toronto, Winnipeg and other large centres. In these centres, whereas under the existing system it is next to impossible for the working men to secure the election of a representative, their combined vote would secure to them their proportional representation from the city as a whole. What is true in the case of Labor will be true so far as returned soldiers, prohibitionists, independents, and other minority groups are concerned. They would be able to secure representation in proportion to their strength.

In these Western Provinces, instead of Manitoba being divided into fifteen one-member constituencies, Saskatchewan into sixteen such constituencies, and Alberta into twelve constituencies would be grouped, and while the same number of men would be elected, they would be chosen from larger geographical divisions, each electing several members.

thus providing that any one minority school of thought in each of the present one-member constituencies could by their combined vote secure the election of at least a representative among the number elected in the larger electoral division.

(In the next issue an endeavor will be made to explain the method of voting and election under proportional representation.)

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## Calls Russian Assembly

Onuk—Admiral Kolchak, head of the all-Russian Government, has issued a proclamation calling for an assembly of the Zemstvos of the all-Russian territory.

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**Settlers for Western Canada**  
Settlers are coming into Western Canada twice as fast as last year, according to immigration reports. The number entering—Canada between Port Arthur and Kingsgate, B.C., was 2,537 last month, as compared with 1,898 in August, 1918.

## Remember the Date---

October 20-22

## National Educational Conference

at Winnipeg

PROMINENT SPEAKERS--LIVE SUBJECTS

In advance of the definite program in the form in which it will be issued at the time of the Conference, the Convening Committee announces that the following items are definitely assured:

- 1.—Salutatory Address—By His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada, Sir James Aikins, Lieutenant-Governor of Manitoba, and His Worship C. F. Grey, Winnipeg.
- 2.—"The Lessons of the War for Canadian Education," Hon. Dr. Cody, Minister of Education, Ontario.
- 3.—"The School and the Development of Moral Purpose," Dr. Theodore Boser, Professor of Religious Education, University of Chicago.
- 4.—"The Development of a National Character Through Education," Sir Robert Falconer, President University of Toronto.
- 5.—"The Potential Factors of Education," Dr. Helen MacMurphy, Ontario Department of Education.
- 6.—"The Boy Scout Movement as an Auxiliary to the School in Moral Training," Dr. James W. Robertson, Dominion Commissioner of the Boy Scouts.
- 7.—"Methods and Ideals of the Canadian Standardized Training Courses," Taylor Batten, National Secretary Boys' Work Department of the Y.M.C.A.
- 8.—"The Function of the Public School in Character Formation," Dr. J. F. White, Principal Ottawa Normal School.
- 9.—"Education and Recreation," Peter Wright, British Sea-man's Union.
- 10.—"The Basis of Moral Teaching," Michael O'Brien, Toronto, Ont.
- 11.—"The School and Industrial Relationships," Dr. S. B. Macle, President University of Washington.
- 12.—"The School and Democracy," President John H. Piesley, Commissioner of Education for the State of New York, Albany, N.Y.
- 13.—"The School and the New Culture Movement," Dr. J. T. M. Anderson, Director of Education among New Canadians, Regina, Sask.
- 14.—"The Interest of the State in Character Education," Dr. Milton Fairchild, Washington, D.C.

The task of initiating discussions has been assigned to persons representative of all provinces of Canada. Among these definitely secured at this date, is this convention are:

- Dr. Clarence McKinnon, Principal Pine Hill College, Halifax, N.S.; Prof. H. T. J. Coleman, Dean of Faculty of Education, Queen's University, Kingston, Ont.; J. J. Thompson, Esq., Vice-President University of St. Francis Xavier's College, Antigonish, N.S.; Very Rev. Dean Lloyd, All Saints Cathedral, Halifax, N.S.; Dr. R. P. Whidden, M.P., Brandon, Man.; Prof. Iva E. Martin, Royal Military College, Kingston, Ont.; Prof. W. H. Alexander, University of Alberta, Edmonton, Alta.; Dr. G. W. Fernald, Deputy Minister of Education, Quebec, P.Q.; J. B. Macle, President, Winnipeg Canadian Club and Chairman, Winnipeg School Board; Dr. John Mackay, Westminister Hall, Vancouver, B.C.; R. J. Turner, Esq., Royal Bank, Winnipeg, Man.; W. G. Macle, Esq., M.P., Editor, Calgary Alberta, Calgary, Alta.; W. McR. Davidson, M.P., Editor, Calgary Alberta, Calgary, Alta.; W. G. Raymond, Esq., Post Master, Brandon, Man.; Dr. J. B. Macle, University of Toronto, Ont.; W. J. Biles, Principal Strathcona School, Winnipeg.

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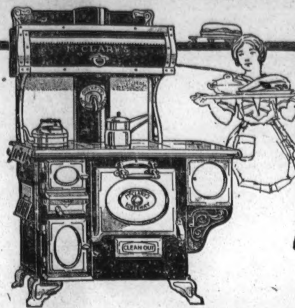
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Treasurer on the first Monday of each  
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### Correspondence

Calgary, Alberta,  
October 2nd, 1919.  
Editor Crossfield Chronicle.

Dear Sir:—The death of Bert Thomas  
came as a great shock to his many friends.  
I ask the hospitality of your columns to  
pay a humble tribute to him, and to give  
voice to some reflections which have come  
to me.

Mr. Thomas was the type of citizen  
who makes friends and keeps them. He  
had the spiritual gift of all generous and  
quiet men to make you feel welcome. He  
was indeed helpful to his fellow citizens  
and cordially generous in the giving of  
himself and of his ability to bring the  
smile of pleasure and friendship to a very  
wide circle of people.

Last Wednesday I entered the chamber  
where the Angel of Death stood guard by  
his lifeless form. Many of his friends  
were there in silent sorrow to pay the  
last homage of respect before his body  
was carried to the grave.

Though I am not daily within the physical  
limits of Crossfield, I am not a stranger to  
the splendid men and women of your  
village and district. I know of no other  
rural centre where one may find a  
more pronounced community spirit, a  
spirit which manifested itself more than  
once in an active form during the cam-  
paigns for Red Cross and Patriotic Funds.

I think I am right in saying that no  
other rural centre responds more willingly  
when called upon to participate in public  
functions, in giving assistance to those  
in need or to a call to get together. Bert  
Thomas was always a willing worker.

You have lost others who had a similar  
goodwill towards their fellow men.  
Indeed the Angel of Death seems to have  
passed frequently of late over Crossfield.  
It has taken away Walter Landymore, a  
member of your Municipal Council; L.  
N. Casey, a genuine friend who lived in  
an atmosphere of light-hearted happiness;  
George Gunn, a young man; Z. V. Her-  
wood, an older man; Mrs. Will Murdoch,  
Mrs. J. Belshaw and Jerry Marston, not  
to speak of other men and women from  
Crossfield who have recently passed  
away.

The death of those men and women  
deeply inspired by conviction, broad in  
their vision of generous humanity, leaders  
by word or by example, has brought a  
sadness and sorrow to many aching hearts  
and leaves deeply anchored in us the  
thought that sooner or later each of us  
must undertake the great adventure. I  
am frank indeed in expressing my regret  
that the Village and district of Crossfield  
have recently lost so many loved ones.  
The passing of Bert Thomas leaves the  
impression of work well done, and moves  
me to offer to his family and his friends  
an expression of sincere and cordial  
sympathy.

Yours truly,  
J. A. VALIQUETTE.

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ROBERT J. C. STEAD

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(Continued)

"I never saw anything on four feet I couldn't drive," said Dave, "an' if you're willing to take a chance, I am. When do we start?"

"First lesson tonight. Second lesson Thursday night. First drive Sunday." Mr. Duncan did not explain that he wanted to know the boy better before the drives were commenced, and he felt that two nights together would satisfy him whether he had found the right man.

Dave hurried back to the coal-yard and completed the day's work in high spirits. It seemed he was at last started on a road that might lead somewhere. After supper he surprised his fellow labourers by changing into his Sunday clothes and starting down a street leading into the residential part of the town. There were speculations that he had "seen a skirt."

Mr. Duncan met him at the door and showed him into the living room. Mrs. Duncan, plump, motherly, lovable in the mature womanliness of forty, greeted him cordially. She was sorry Edith was out; Edith had a tennis engagement. She was apparently deeply interested in the young man who was to be her coachman. Dave had never been in a home like this, and his eyes, unaccustomed to comfortable furnishings, appreciated them as luxury. There were a piano and a phonograph; leather chairs; a fireplace with polished

bricks that shone with the glow of burning coal; thick carpets, springy to the foot; painted pictures looking down out of gilt frames. And Mr. Duncan had said he was not rich! And there was more than that; there was an air, a spirit, an atmosphere that Dave could feel although he could not define it, a sense that everything was all right. He soon found himself talking with Mrs. Duncan about horses, and then about his old life on the ranch, and then about coming to town. Almost, before he knew it, he had told her about Renee Hardy, but he had checked himself in time. And Mrs. Duncan had noticed it, without comment, and realized that her guest was not a boy, but a man.

Then Mr. Duncan talked about gardening, and from that to Dave's backing his team to the coal-coal, and from that to coal itself. Dave had shovelled coal all winter, but he had not thought about coal, except as something to be shovelled and shovelled. And as Mr. Duncan explained to him the wonderful provisions of nature; how she had stored away in the undiscovered lands billions of tons of coal, holding them in reserve until the world's supply of timber for fuel should be nearly exhausted, and as he told of the immeasurable wealth of this great new land in coal resources, and of how the wheels of the world, traffic and industry, and science, even, were dependent upon coal and the man who handled coal, Dave felt his breast rising with a sense of the dignity of his calling. It was no longer dirty and grimy; it was part of the world; it was essential to progress and happiness—more essential than gold, or diamonds, or all the beautiful things in the store windows. And he had had to do with this wonderful substance all winter, and not until tonight had it fired the diving spark of his imagination. The time ticked on, and although he was eager to be at work he almost dreaded the moment when Mr. Duncan should mention his lesson. But before that moment came there was a ripple of laughter at the door, and a girl in tennis costume, and a young man a little older than Dave, entered.

"Edith," said Mrs. Duncan, Dave arose to shake hands, but then his eyes fell full on her face. "Oh, I know you," he exclaimed. "I heard you sing yesterday."

Slowly he felt the color coming to his cheeks. Had he been too familiar? Should he have held that back? What would she think? But then he felt her hand in his, and he knew it was all right.

"And I know you," she was saying. "I saw you—she stopped, and it was her turn to feel the rising color. "Yes, I know what you saw," he took up her thought. "You saw me get up and go out of church because I wouldn't sit and listen to a man say that God punished the innocent to let the guilty go free. And I know you." There was a moment's silence following this outburst, and Mr. Duncan made a new appraisal of his pupil. Then it was time to introduce Mr. Allan Forsyth. Mr. Forsyth shook hands heartily, but Dave was conscious of being caught in "one quick glance which embraced him from head to heel. And the glance

was satisfied—self-satisfied. It was such a glance as Dave might give a horse, when he would say, "A good horse, but I can handle him." It was evident from that glance that Forsyth had no fear of rivalry from that quarter. And having no fear he could afford to be friendly.

Dave had no distinct remembrance of what happened just after that, but he was conscious of an overwhelming desire to hear Miss Duncan sing. How like Renee she was! And just as he was beginning to think Mr. Duncan must surely have forgotten his lesson, he heard her asking him if she should sing. And then he saw Forsyth at the piano—why couldn't he leave her to do it herself, the better—and then he heard her fine silvery voice rising in the notes of that song about the land where the sun should never go down.

And suddenly he knew how lonely, how terribly, terribly lonely he was. And he sat with head bowed that they might not know.

And then there were other songs, and at last Mrs. Duncan, who had slipped away unnoticed, returned with a silver teapot, and cups of delicate coffee, and a dish of cake, and they sat about and ate and drank and talked and laughed. And Edith refilled his cup and sat down beside him, leaving that Forsyth quite on the opposite side of the room. And suddenly he was very, very happy. And when he looked at his watch it was eleven o'clock!

"I guess we didn't get any lesson tonight," he said, as he shook hands with Mr. Duncan at the doorway.

"I am not so sure," replied his tutor. "The first thing for you to learn is that all learning does not come from books. A good listener can learn as much as a good reader—it listens to the right kind of people." And as Dave walked home the thought deepened in him that it really had been a lesson, and that Mr. Duncan had intended it that way. And he wondered what remarkable fortune had befallen him. The air was full of the perfume of balm-of-gilead, and his feet were light with the joy of youth. And he thought much of Edith, and of Renee Hardy.

In subsequent lessons Dave was rapidly initiated into many matters besides parlor manners and conversation. Mr. Duncan placed the first and greatest emphasis upon learning to write, and to write well. They had many philosophic discussions, in which the older man sought to lead the younger to the acceptance of truths that would not fail him in the strain of later life, and when a conclusion had been agreed upon, it was Mr. Duncan's habit to embody it in a copy for Dave's writing lesson. One evening they had a long talk on success, and Mr. Duncan had gradually stripped the glamour from wealth and fame and social position.

"The only thing worth while," he said, "is to give happiness. The man who contributes to the happiness of the world is a success, and the man who does not contribute to the happiness of the world is a failure, no matter what his wealth or position. Every man who lives long enough, and has brains enough, comes to know this in time. And those who have not brains enough to know it are the greatest failures of all, because they think they have attained success, and they have only been buccined with a counterfeit."

"But a man who has money is in a position to give more happiness than one who hasn't," objected Dave. "Think of all the things a man with a million dollars can do to make people happy—like paying for libraries, and giving excursions to poor children, and things like that. So, in order to make people happy, wouldn't the first step be to make money, so it could be spent in that way?"

(To Be Continued.)

Still Looking

"And so you are not married yet?" asked a girl's friend.

"No," was the reply.

"Engaged?"

"No."

"What's the matter?"

"Well, papa says my husband must be a keen and experienced man, of good health and good habits; mamma says he must be a frog, industrious and attentive; and I say he must be handsome, dashing, talented, and rich. We are still looking for him."

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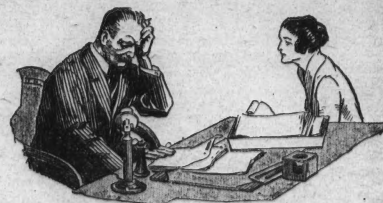
**British Ship at Hamburg**  
Hamburg, Germany.—The British steamer Weimar, with a general cargo, has arrived here. This is the first British ship to enter the port of Hamburg since the outbreak of the war.

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If Constipated, Bilious or Headachy, take "Cascarets"

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## Old Age Deferred

BY DR. LEE H. SMITH

Business men who must speed up the works and make business boom during these days—after the war—must recognize the necessity of keeping fit. When mind is befogged, when you have dull headaches or feel logy, when not "up to snuff," keep the bowels free with a mild laxative. In the morning take a tepid sponge bath (cold water may be used if it does not chill), follow with a brisk rub down; a sufficient "setting up" exercise in good air until you are in a warm glow. Have you tried it lately?

Don't let the poisons accumulate in the intestines either, but try a dose of castor oil the first thing on arising, or a pleasant laxative occasionally, such as one made up of May-apple, aloin and jalap, rolled into a tiny sugar-coated pill, and sold in every drug store as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Then a cup of hot water before breakfast, and you'll feel better than a king! If you continue in life thus, you can pass a Life Insurance examination at sixty.

If you wish to prevent old age coming on too soon, or if you want to increase your chances for a long life, you should drink plenty of soft (rain) or distilled water daily between meals. Then procure at the drug store Dr. Pierce's Anuric (anti-uric-acid). This "Anuric" drives the uric acid out and relieves backache and rheumatism, as well as kidney trouble. Anuric dissolves uric acid as hot tea dissolves sugar.

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# The Expenditure of \$610,000,000

How the last  
Victory Loan  
was spent

For  
Demobilization

For Trade  
Extension

BEFORE buying Victory Bonds again you may want to know how Canada used the money you loaned her last year

Canada borrowed the money to carry on the war and to provide credits for Great Britain and our Allies

CONSIDERABLY more than one-half of the Victory Loan 1918 was spent on our soldiers. This included \$312,900,000 for paying them, feeding them, bringing them home, separation allowances to their dependents, maintenance of medical services and vocational training schools.

\$59,000,000 of the Victory Loan 1918 was paid on account of authorized Soldiers' gratuities.

\$9,000,000 was spent at Halifax for relief and reconstruction after the disaster.

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Other disbursements were not, strictly speaking, expenditures, but National Re-investments.

To Great Britain for example:

\$173,500,000 was loaned for the purchase of our wheat and cereals.

\$9,000,000 for our fish.

\$30,000,000 for other Foodstuffs.

\$2,900,000 for Canadian built ships.

\$5,500,000 to pay other British obligations in Canada.

Making in all \$220,900,000 advanced to Great Britain.

To our Allies, we loaned \$8,200,000 for the purchase of Canadian foodstuffs, raw material and manufactured products.

The Re-investments will be paid back to Canada in due time, with interest.

These credits were absolutely necessary to secure the orders for Canada because cash purchases were impossible.

They have had the effect of tremendously helping agricultural and industrial workers to tide over the depression that would have followed the Armistice, had we not made these credit loans.

As far as money is concerned, 1919 has been, and is still—just as much a war year as 1918. Our main expenditures for war cannot be completed until well on into 1920. Thus another Victory Loan is necessary—*Get ready to buy.*

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## Land Settlement For War Veterans

Ottawa.—At the opening of the session of the special committee of the House on soldiers' readjustment, the telegram from the United Veterans' League, formerly the Gratiuity League, demanding representation before the commission, came up.

The Imperial veterans of Vancouver had also asked that a representative be heard, and it was proposed to hear their delegates this week.

Brig-Gen. McBean suggested that the secretary of the Imperial veterans at Winnipeg be asked that a delegate be appointed and notify the Vancouver branch what had been done, and asking if that was satisfactory. This was finally put in the form of a motion and carried.

Commandant J. G. Evans, of the Army and Navy Veterans, Kingston, requested that his organization be given a hearing by the committee. It was decided to get in touch with W. J. Tupper, Dominion president of the Army and Navy Veterans, asking that he take any action necessary toward appointing a delegate representing the whole organization.

S. Maher, secretary of the Soldiers' Settlement Board, was recalled and questioned regarding cost of administration and the advances made to soldiers. By the end of this year it was expected the total output for the department would be \$48,000,000 for loans and administration. The estimate of \$150,000,000 for fifty thousand soldiers who were expected to take loans, did not take into account the settlement of British ex-service men. Many enquiries from this class of men were being received.

About two-thirds of the 4,128 soldiers taking up grants, exercised their rights to take up homesteads. It has been the policy of the board to try and settle men near railroads. In that case there were few homesteads available for entry.

In reply to Mr. MacNeil, Mr. Maher said there were no figures available of the number of men disqualified because of inability to provide the necessary 10 per cent. cash payment. It would be difficult to secure any figures.

The matter of settling imperial soldiers, ex-service men, on the land was receiving serious consideration, said Mr. Maher. It was felt that it would be about all the land the board could handle in placing Canada's soldiers, he said.

Mr. MacNeil asked if there was not a considerable amount of land available in unimproved land, now held under reserve.

Major Ashton answered that some sixty thousand acres of Indian reserve land would soon be made available for sale to the soldiers. Several townships of forest reserves had also been freed and several other townships were under investigation. These lands go to the soldiers free of purchase. Certain grazing leases are being investigated.

No grazing lease lands had yet been released for soldier settlement.

## CURED HIS RHEUMATISM!

"I am eighty-three years old and I doctored for rheumatism ever since I came out of the army, over 50 years ago. Like many others, I spent money freely for 'cures' and I have read about 'Uric Acid' until I could almost taste it. I could not sleep nights or walk without pain; my hands were so sore and stiff I could not hold a pen. But now again in active business and can walk with ease or write all day with comfort. Friends are surprised at the change." You might just as well attempt to put out a fire with oil as try to get rid of your rheumatism, neuritis and the complaints by taking treatment supposed to drive Uric Acid out of your blood and body. It took Mr. Ashburn 15 years to find out the truth. He learned how to get rid of the true cause of his rheumatism, other disorders and recover his strength from "The Inner Mysteries," now being distributed free by an authority who devoted over twenty years to the scientific study of this trouble. If any reader of this paper wishes "The Inner Mysteries of Rheumatism" overlooked by doctors and scientists for centuries past, simply send a post card or letter to H. P. Clearwater, 415-A Street, Hallowell, Maine. Send now, lest you forget! If not a sufferer yourself, cut out this notice and hand this good news and suggestion to some afflicted friend. All who send will receive it by return mail without any charge whatever.

## Big Problem For D'Annunzio

Increase In Number of Men Brought About Question of Maintenance

Trieste.—Additional reinforcements to Gabriele D'Annunzio's forces have raised the military strength of his contingent to more than 12,000 men according to the estimates of allied officers returning from Fiume.

The great increase in the number of D'Annunzio's men has brought about the serious question of their maintenance, in view of the blockade of the port, and D'Annunzio has been compelled to request other persons who have offered him their services to stay at home and hold themselves in readiness for a call.

Paris.—An Italian detachment with several armored motor cars has crossed the line of demarcation near Tognare, Dalmatia, and penetrated the town after having overcome the resistance of a dozen Jugo-Slavs, according to a dispatch from Belgrade received here.

The dispatch adds that the United States vessels have left Spala for Tognare.

## Anti-Bolshevik Plot

London.—A Bolshevik wireless dispatch reports the discovery of an anti-Bolshevik plot, with ramifications throughout Russia, which led to the capture and execution of 66 men on charges of conspiracy. The plot is said to have originated in Moscow.

## HER LITTLE GIRL HAD DYSENTERY

Bowels Moved as Many as 25 Times a Day

Dysentery manifests itself with varying degrees of intensity, but in well marked cases the attack is commonly preceded by some amount of diarrhoea, which gradually increases in severity, and is accompanied with griping pains in the abdomen. Discharges from the bowels succeed each other with great frequency, and the matter passed from the bowels, which at first resemble those of ordinary diarrhoea soon change their character, becoming scanty, mucous or slimy, and subsequently mixed with, or consisting wholly of blood. Never neglect what at first appears to be a slight attack of diarrhoea or dysentery may set in.

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## Around The World By Plane

Aero Club of America Will Set Plans for Hugo Aerial Derby

New York.—Plans have been formulated for an aerial derby around the world, for which the prizes may total \$1,000,000. It was announced here by the Aero Club of America.

A special commission has been appointed to make a tour of the world to arrange stopping places, obtain referees and organize committees in every country through which the racers will pass.

Disputes may be used by the competitors for a part or all of the trip.

General A. Ross Sworn In

Toronto, Ont.—Brig-Gen. Arthur Ross, of Kingston, was sworn in as the Lieutenant-Governor, Sir John Hendrie, as minister in the Hebert government without portfolio.

As announced by Premier Hebert, the Soldiers' Aid Commission and the Soldiers' Settlement are to be under the administration of the new minister.

## Senate Labor Probe

Labor Commission's Investigation of Nation-Wide Steel Strike

Washington.—Arrangements have been completed for the beginning of the senate labor commission's investigation of the nation-wide steel strike. Chairman Kenyon announced receipt of assurances from John Fitzpatrick, chairman of the strikers' organization committee, that he would be on hand to present labor's side of the controversy.

Senator Thomas, Democrat, Colorado, in an address on the floor of the senate, criticized the strike in bitter terms, declaring it had been called on the thinnest excuse, and that the principal object was "to disturb and bedevil industrial conditions," and that the participation of hundreds of thousands of men in strikes throughout the country becomes almost a daily war.

Primary objects of the senate investigation, Senator Kenyon said, would be the setting forth before the public the real causes and objects of the strike. Fitzpatrick, as well as Chairman Gary of the United States Steel Corporation, who is said to appear Wednesday, according to Senator Kenyon's plan of procedure, first and then be subject to cross-examination by all members of the committee. It is hoped to complete the enquiry and return a report to the senate within a fortnight.

Senator Kenyon holds the hope that the investigation, in its enlightenment of the public, may affect the progress of the strike. The committee intends to learn from both sides of the dispute, exactly how many men and plants are affected, how many steel employees are union men, and how many non-union, what percentage remain "loyal," what collateral unions and industries are involved, and what conditions immediately led to the strike.

## No Danger From Germany

Paris.—When the Chamber of Deputies resumed discussion of the German peace treaty, Andre Tardieu refuted certain objections to the treaty made by M. Marin regarding the military forces Germany will be allowed to maintain. M. Tardieu declared the German army should be reduced, under the terms of the treaty, to a sort of gendarmerie, and asserted that France had sufficient guarantees for the execution of the military clause in the treaty.

## China's Peace Decoration

Pekin.—In the mandate issued by President Hsi Shih Chang, formally declaring the state of war between China and Germany at an end, General Fung Chi Lin, the former Premier who was responsible for China's declaration of war, was awarded a decoration. The honor accorded him is in the bestowal of the Grand Order of Merit.

## Grain Act Amendment

Ottawa.—Sir George Foster, Minister of Trade and Commerce, has given notice of an amendment to the Grain Act, providing that in the month of August in each year, after the crop year ending August 31, 1919, stock shall be taken of the quantity of grain in the terminal elevators.

## Wants Canadian Cattle

London.—The Daily Mail, in an editorial urging greater food production, says that the importation of cattle from Canada should be permitted.

## Have Large Membership

There are 114 branches of the Great War Veterans' Association in Saskatchewan with a total membership of 17,000.

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23 THE PHARMACY

## May Avert Strike On British Railways

### Salvaging Old Bullion

Difficulties of Getting Up Bars of Specie Are Immense

London.—A good many exaggerated estimates have been put into circulation regarding the success of the bullion salvaging operations in connection with the steamship *Laurentic*, which lies a few miles off the entrance to Lough Swilly. The facts are that of the \$35,000,000 worth of specie which the liner was carrying to America when mined in January, 1917, probably less than \$2,500,000 has been recovered. Of this about \$1,250,000 was salvaged a year ago, when operations had to be suspended owing to German submarine activities.

It is not so much the actual hoarding up of the bars of gold that is difficult, as the dealing with the hundreds of tons of metal plates of the wreck. These have to be blown up with gelignite and shifted before the bullion can be reached. Each bar is worth about \$6,000, and the recovery of two bars is reckoned a fair day's work. When a sufficient consignment has been got together it is sent in charge of a naval paymaster under a strong escort to London, and at various points on the journey the officer is met by government officials, to whom he reports "all safe."

### League Can Exist Without U.S.

Paris.—In an explanation to the Chamber of Deputies, Premier Clemenceau, after declaring that the League of Nations could exist even though rejected by the United States senate, asserted that it was precisely because the French felt that the League of Nations was an insufficient guarantee for some years to come that the protective treaty of alliance between France, Great Britain and the United States was drawn up.

### "SYRUP OF FIGS"

### CHILD'S LAXATIVE

Look at tongue! Remove poisons from little stomach, liver and bowels



Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless laxative or physic for the little stomach, liver, and bowels. Children love its delicious fruity taste. Full directions for child's dose on each bottle. Give it without fear.

Mother! You must say "California."

### For A New Palestine

### Syria and Mesopotamia

London.—Habibi Lutfallah, chief European representative of the Syrian union committee, informed the Associated Press that Prince Faisal, son of the King of the Hedjaz, has tentatively accepted a proposal drawn by the committee for a union of Palestine, Syria and Mesopotamia. Prince Faisal's acceptance, he said, was given on condition that the British Government approved the plan. The proposal already has been laid before the Government, he added, which is considering it.

The scheme provides for the appointment over the united nations of a governor-general to be selected by Great Britain, France and Syria the executive bodies, a chamber and senate representing three different states on a democratic basis, and the drafting of a constitution.

London.—By a curious coincidence on the day Sir Eric Geddes has formally upon his new duties as Minister of Transport, the Government was confronted by an ultimatum threatening stoppage of the whole railroad system of the country, unless a basis for the standardization of the men's wages, which has been in dispute since the month of March, is settled to the men's satisfaction. When it is remembered how fierce was the opposition the Transport Bill, which created the new ministry, met in its passage through parliament, the coincidence is perhaps not without significance.

The suddenness of the action of the National Union of Railwaymen is the more inexplicable as, by an agreement, the war wages of the workers would operate until the end of the year, allowing still three months for further negotiations.

It is recalled that the Glasgow congress avoided a straight vote on direct action, and the Miners' Federation is at present engaged in a great campaign to secure nationalization of the mines, which the Government has so far refused. The question is being asked by the public whether there is some political motive behind the railwaymen's ultimatum.

The cabinet sat for three hours considering the crisis, after which it is authoritatively announced that the Government had indicated its willingness to continue the negotiations on the ground that "some misunderstanding" existed.

Sir Eric Geddes consented to meet the men's leaders, and the possibility of avoiding a strike, therefore, looks more hopeful.

### Good Crops In Dry Districts

### Late Flax Proving Most Profitable

Crop in Swift Current District

Swift Current, Sask.—No frost has appeared in this district, the year having established a record in this regard. As a consequence many farmers have started cutting fields of flax that promise excellent yields in many instances. Fortunately, taking the district as a whole, there is a large amount of late flax, and it now seems assured that most of it will be successfully harvested. One farmer in the vicinity who counted on no crop is realizing over \$4,000 from his flax, besides having a goodly amount of feed from late oats.

### Fire in New Parliament Buildings

Ottawa.—The new parliament buildings were the scene of a fire, but for the first time in construction a conflagration such as that of February, 1916, might have ensued. The blaze occurred in an inside room in the basement among some boxes, and the fire spread to the ironing room, but for the fire department's quick action, it would have reached the roof. The damage to property was about \$2,000, but whether the dense smoke which resulted will injure any of the new painting or plaster is problematical.

## PIMPLES ITCHED AND BURNED

Face Was Badly Disfigured, Cuticura Soap and Ointment Healed.

"Small red pimples and blackheads broke out on my face, and my face was badly disfigured. Some of the pimples festered while others scabbed over and there were places where the pimples were in blisters. They used to itch and burn terribly. I tried Cuticura Soap and Ointment and I tried them. They stopped the itching and burning and I used four cakes of Soap and three boxes of Ointment which healed me." (Signed) Miss V. A. Hayne, Summit, N. S., Dec. 26, '18.

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## Endless Persecution Of Armenia Is Gradually Wiping Out The Race

The whole of Christendom once marched through Armenia to recover the supposed site of the Holy Sepulchre and the unknown "place of the Cross," but massacre after massacre of Christians by the millions in that country have found Christendom united and helpless. Persecutions for a century back have attracted the sympathy of Europe just enough to evoke against the victims, the bitter spite of their Moslem neighbors, who regarded them as a menace to their religion. Deliberate and planned massacres, which commenced a quarter of a century ago, have still found Christian countries powerless, as a nation could act without incurring the jealousy of the rest. Britain convened what was called the Concert of Europe to bring pressure to bear, Germany refused to concur, thus becoming a partner in Turkey's guilt, for which she reaped the reward later of having Turkey as a partner in her Russia was one of the protesting parties, but as, through the whole reign of Alexander III, the bigot disciple of Pobiedonostsev, she had herself persecuted the Armenians in the region she had acquired from Turkey, she refused to concur in anything more than the protection of foreigners. Nothing was done except some relief work, chiefly from the United States, which has for nearly a century had missions among the Armenians. Today this massacring is going on, the race is being wiped out, and nothing is really being done. Britain has an army in Russian Armenia, but owing to popular clamor and the heavy cost, is withdrawing it. The United States has been asked to become mandatory in Armenia of the prospective League of Nations; but not having as yet approved the league, has not done so. France wants to be, but help delays, and murder and rape go on under peace with a hand as under war.—Montreal Witness.

### Typewriting In The Air

New British Commercial Airplane Underwent A Successful Trial

A new British commercial airplane, in which a business man can dictate letters to his typist and sign the completed letter while on his way to his appointment underwent a successful trial at Yeovil.

It carries three passengers, in addition to the pilot, and is accommodated in comfortable seats in an enclosed cabin, with sliding windows along the sides. When the seats and upholstery are removed the machine will carry 500 pounds of mail at 100 miles an hour.

As an indication of how successfully the noise of the engine has been silenced, the works manager, who had his typist with him, dictated several letters, which she typed while the machine was in the air, on a typewriter fixed to the little folding table in the cabin.

### "Canada, the Land of Opportunities"

Immigration continued even during war time—but was mainly of farmers who had money and came into our West to find greater opportunities for using it to advantage. To "him that hath shall be given" is an oft quoted text as true today as when first uttered. But the possession of the initial amount must be assured before the abundance can be bestowed. To save for the rainy day is also wise. Woolworth had \$50 of his own saved up when he started, and that gave him confidence to branch out. He had millions when he passed away, made out of jinkles. Don't despise the day of small things. The humble quarter can earn five per cent. if saved, and by means of Thrift Stamps become invested in War Savings Stamps. This method of saving may provide the wherewithal for you to seize the golden opportunity some day.

### Hon. Frank Cochrane Is Dead

Ottawa.—Hon. Frank Cochrane, former Minister of Railways and Canals, died at his apartment in the Roxborough at 3.30 Sunday morning.

### Japanese Active

In Argentina

Important Business Houses Making Banking and Commercial Connections

Washington, District of Columbia. Information has been received here of the activity of the Japanese in Argentina. The recently created Japanese Legation in Buenos Ayres is promoting interest in commercial circles in Japanese merchandise, and representatives of important Japanese business houses have been in Argentina making banking and commercial connections. The vice-president of the Tokio Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Yamashita, has been cordially received by President Frigoyen and other government officials. In an interview in La Raison Mr. Yamashita declared that Japan is in a position to provide Argentina with cotton goods and dyes which had always in the past reached it through French concerns. The Argentine Republic, on the other hand, can provide Japan with products and goods which are indispensable to the Japanese people.

### High Quality Stock Offered

Over Two Carloads Sold in Last Few Days

Regina, Sask.—Over two carloads of choice breeding stock, mostly young cows and heifers, have been sold at the exhibition grounds by the livestock branch of the Saskatchewan Department of Agriculture within the past few days. Two more carloads are on the way, and if the demand keeps up the sales will be continued here for some weeks.

All the cattle sold here were bought in the drought area of the province by buyers sent out from the livestock branch to carry out the plan outlined by Hon. C. A. Dunning, minister of agriculture, and which is proving so successful; purchasing cattle from farmers without sufficient feed and paying them all cash, and reselling these cattle on easy terms to farmers with sufficient feed.

There are sections of the province where most of the crops were dried out this year, and where the majority of farmers are short of feed, but where a few have ample feed and are buying stock when their neighbors are selling. A striking instance of this peculiar condition was shown last week at the exhibition grounds here, when a buyer from Rush Lake took out a carload of cattle, part of the carload consisting of young cows and heifers brought from drought-stricken farmers at Rush Lake, the very point to which they are going back.

A. J. Clark, livestock purchasing agent for the livestock branch, comments on the very high quality of the bulk of the breeding stock purchased. While many of the cattle are thin, this does not detract from their value, as they rapidly pick up when given sufficient feed. Although recent rains have made a slight improvement in the feed situation, they have come too late in the season to seriously affect the situation, and a great deal more stock will be disposed of yet by farmers in the drought area before winter sets in.

### Saw Crucified Canadian

Among the first St. Catharines, Ont., men to leave for the front, and one of the last to get back, Lieut. T. Edward Jones, of that city, has arrived home. "I saw the first Canadian they crucified," said he. "He was a sergeant of the 15th Machine-Gun Battalion, and it was in April, 1915. There was no support and they drove us back a mile and a half. The Germans captured this poor fellow and pinned him up to a barn door. They ran one of their saw-bayonets through his stomach and they pinned his wrists and legs with Ross rifle Canadian bayonets."

"Do you suppose he was alive when they crucified him?" he was asked.

"Certainly not, because when we got to him he was still bleeding," was the lieutenant's reply.

## Orchestra Leader Is Deported

Was Arrested In Chicago November 28, 1917, charged with pro-German Activities

New York.—Count Jas. Minotto, son-in-law of Louis F. Swift, Chicago packer, and Dr. Ko. Muck, former leader of the Boston Symphony orchestra, both of whom were interned during the war as enemy aliens, sailed for Copenhagen on the Scandinavian-American liner Frederick VIII. Assuming he is an American and not a German and that he is sailing for Denmark, "a man without a flag or country," Dr. Muck arrived at the pier only a short time before the hour of departure. He was accompanied by an operative of the department of justice, whose duty it was to see that the musician boarded the liner. This done, the secret service agent warned Captain A. G. Thompson, commanding the vessel, to make sure Dr. Muck did not leave it within the three miles. Then he took his station on the pier at the gang-plank until the ship was warped out into the river.

On stepping aboard the Frederick VIII, Dr. Muck denied his identity as a fellow passenger, with whom he was acquainted, threw his arms around his neck and kissed him.

Dr. Muck was in a bitter mood as he took his departure from the land in which he had been applauded. He left the United States, he declared, with no regrets, as the country is being controlled by sentiment which closely borders on mob rule."

He denounced literary newspapers which, he said, had attacked him as an American on a story, circulated by "jealous rivals" and praised "some big people in the musical world, who stuck by me." These, he said, were the only persons he cared about. The orchestra which once he had led was a "thing of the past," he declared. Twenty-nine German-born members had been interned, he said, and he doubted if the group of musicians could ever again be brought together. He said he did not know what plans he would make on arriving in Denmark.

According to officials of the department of justice, Dr. Muck was brought here from Fort Oglethorpe "a day or two ago." Count Minotto was released January 26.

The count was arrested in Chicago November 28, 1917, charged with pro-German activities, which he denied. Held for investigation he was taken in charge by the department of justice on a presidential warrant May 14, 1918. A few days later he was adjudged an enemy alien and interned, an appeal later being dismissed.

### Don't Pity Yourself

Jack Canack Believes in His Timiest and Humblest Citizen

Can't, watch your small change until it is safely invested in Canada's War Savings Stamps, then she will take care of it for you and pay you interest for its use.

Jack Canack believes in his timiest and humblest citizen. Show him, and yourself also, that you return his confidence by investing your savings with him. Put your small amounts, from 25c to \$408 in War Savings Stamps.

Don't envy the man who lives on the interest of his money. Be good to yourself, determine to have some of that interest money yourself. Canada has made the starting easy for you. Invest in War Savings Stamps.

Don't pity yourself, treat yourself better. It's action that moves up the counter. Plan right now to give yourself to the War Savings Stamps idea. You can make it the cornerstone of the happy future.

You can do your work better, be more efficient, if you have a few war savings certificates stored away. Start now to build up this invisible power.

### Record Harvest Fines

Calgary.—Although the actual figures have not yet been compiled, it is almost certain that the fires this year in the Canadian forest reserves will easily prove to be the record in destruction. Experts are busily engaged at the moment in compiling statistics, and it is expected that these will be made public at an early date.

## Fortunes Hidden In Coal When Transformed Into Multitude of By-Products

### Propose Boycott

Against Japs

Proclamation Issued By "Chinese Crusaders of Hawaii"

Honolulu, Hawaii.—An "anathema" which is alleged to have appeared in a Japanese newspaper in Shanghai, China, is the basis of a proclamation issued by the Chinese Crusaders of Hawaii, an organization composed of Chinese young people. The proclamation, addressed to the Chinese people of the Hawaiian Islands, reads, in part, as follows:

"We all realize that our country is not strong enough today to fight Japan in a military way. Therefore it is necessary to attack her with the only weapon at hand—the economic boycott; seeking by this means to break off all business relations with the Japanese people, no matter where they reside. Such a boycott, if carried out systematically and permanently, would suffice to reduce Japan to the status of a mediocre power."

### Manitoba Crops

All Cut Except Small Percentage of Later Fields

In a summary of harvest conditions at the end of August, the Manitoba Department of Agriculture states that all the crop was cut except a small percentage of the later fields, most of these later crops being intended for feeding purposes; also a big swath of the threshing was done. It is safe to say that the work is a full month ahead as compared with some years, and at least two or three weeks ahead of the average.

A great many correspondents believe that the heat did more harm to the crops than was wrought by the rust; this is more true of the western than of the eastern side of the province.

The average of all the estimates as to yields reported below is as follows: Wheat a little over 15 bushels, oats about 38 bushels, barley 23 bushels. Wheat grains generally will not be high. Perhaps the most disappointing crop all round is late barley.

Reports as to potatoes vary a great deal, but are not generally above the average. In the eastern side of the province, some correspondents report plenty of hay and straw to spare, while there will not be quite so much on hand in the southwestern corner of the province.

Fodder corn has been a great success this year, and garden crops have been good. The correspondent at Bowman River in the Swan River Valley reports that lots of tomatoes have ripened on the vines, and nowhere in Manitoba, apparently, has there been any frost.

### Publications Under Ban

Declared By Secretary of State to Contain Objectionable Material

Ottawa.—A book entitled "The Proletarian Revolution in Russia," by N. Lenin and Leon Trotsky, published by the communist press of New York city, has been declared by the secretary of state to contain objectionable material, and anyone issuing or having it in their possession is liable to a fine or imprisonment.

"The Soviet" published at Edmonton, Alberta, is also banned. Other publications condemned by the censor are "Guly," a collection of national and revolutionary songs printed in Russian at New York, and "Development of Industrial Democracy," a pamphlet printed in Finnish by the Soviet publishing company at Duluth.

### Bread Famine in Sydney, N.S.W.

Vancouver, B.C.—A special dispatch to the Vancouver Province from Sydney, N.S.W., says: "A bread famine exists in this city as a result of the bakers' strike. 'The Australia' has been less progressing, but rather slowly, despite the threats of the Commonwealth treasurer, advertised daily, that he may resort to compulsion if a better showing is not made."

Getting all the wealth there is in coal by low-temperature distillation has hovered for years like an elusive will-o'-the-wisp before the vision of innumerable engineers. Again and again success has been proclaimed for one system or another whereby coal could be profitably transformed into gas, oils, spirits and a multitude of by-products, leaving as residue a fuel which would burn brightly and smokelessly in the open grate. The problem is, however, so far unsolved that the British Government have subsidized experimental research on a large scale, as part of their endeavor to promote coal conservation. In addition, several of the leaders of British industry have combined to tackle the problem in a thoroughly business-like way. After making a careful study of the various existing processes and the causes of failure or partial success, they decided upon the most promising line of progress and erected a plant large enough to settle the commercial as well as the engineering questions involved. At this plant over 2,000 tons of coal of different qualities, have been treated with excellent results, and there is a fair prospect of securing the co-operation of large gas companies in applying the results under everyday conditions. So many factors are involved—such as the varying characteristics of coal and the fluctuations in the market of by-products—that a large scale test would be worked out for almost every district.

Nevertheless we are soon likely to see this British enterprise, in which many thousands of pounds have been sunk on the sporting chance of success, lead to gas-comparing offerings of the public smokeless fuel as well as gas, and acting as manufacturers of motor spirit and many other substances for which there is an urgent demand.

### Fish As Hog Feed

Fish Meal Should Be Used in Small Quantity

The Wisconsin Experiment Station, Madison, Wisconsin, recently conducted some pig-feeding experiments in which fish meal was fed in comparison with tankage and other protein feeds. The lot fed fish meal gave the largest gains in both trials. Fish meal, like tankage which is made from meat scraps, is a high protein feed and should be used in a relatively small quantity as a complement to such starchy feeds as corn and barley. Fish meal should form from seven to twelve per cent. of the grain ration, the weight depending on the age of the pigs, younger pigs needing the largest proportion of protein feed.

Fish meal is more valuable for pigs than for any other class of farm animals, although it has been fed with fair success to dairy cows. Investigations made in Europe show that 80 pounds of dried herring cake will take the place of 100 pounds of linseed-oilmeal for cows. Tankage is worth at the present time \$105 per ton as a feed for hogs. The results of the Wisconsin experiments would indicate that dried fish meal will have at least an equal value for hogs.

### Better Pay for Married Minors

Ottawa.—Provision has now been made by the Government for the payment of increased allowances to married minors, who are undergoing training through the vocational branch of the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment.

The department has been given authority to pay allowances to these minors at similar rates to those paid to adults who are granted leave on inability to return to previous occupation on account of war disability.

### Higher Return Pares St. And

Ottawa.—The Railway Board, in a decision just handed down, disallows the complaint of the Toronto Board of Trade and Board Chamber of Commerce, of Windsor, Ont., against the increased return passenger fares put into effect by the railways on February 1.



## The saving in the Soup Tureen

Bovril makes soups and stews so much more nourishing that they can often take the place of expensive joints. It saves many dollars in the kitchen. Bovril is the concentrated goodness of the best beef—so strong that it cannot possibly be manufactured in cheap cells. Insist upon the real thing—Bovril in the Bovril bottle.

## BEECHAM'S PILLS

Constipation is the arch-enemy of health. Conquer this enemy and you rout a whole army of physical foes, including indigestion, biliousness, sick headache, sleeplessness and nervous dyspepsia. Beecham's Pills have been a world-favorite laxative for over sixty years. They go straight to the cause of many ills and remove it. They act promptly, pleasantly and surely. Contain no habit-forming drug. These time-tested pills strengthen the stomach, stimulate the liver and

### Relieve Constipation

—Worth a Guinea a Box

Prepared only by Thomas Beecham, St. Helen, Lancashire, England. Sold everywhere in Canada and U.S.A. In boxes, 25 cents.

## PLES

Do not suffer from itching, burning, redness, or any other skin trouble. Use Dr. Chase's Ointment. It will relieve you at once and is guaranteed to cure you. It is sold by all druggists, or by mail, for 25 cents. Send for a free sample and enclose 2c. stamp to pay postage.

### Wouldn't Hurt 'Em

Visitor: "You keep your pigs much too near the house."

Cottager: "That's just what the doctor said. But I don't see how it's a-goin' to hurt 'em!"

Impurities of the Blood Counteracted—Impurities in the blood come from defects in the action of the liver. They are revealed by pimples and unsightly blotches on the skin. They must be treated inwardly, and for this purpose there is no more effective compound to be found than "Farnelle's Vegetable Pills. They act directly on the liver, and by setting up healthy processes, produce a vital effect upon the blood, so that impurities are eliminated.

Dress is sometimes a matter of form, and form is often a matter of dress.

### CHILDHOOD CONSTIPATION

Constipated children can find prompt relief through the use of Baby's Own Tablets. The Tablets are mild but thorough laxative, which never fail to regulate the bowels and stomach, thus driving out constipation and indigestion; colds and simple fevers. Concerning them Mrs. Gaspard, Daigle, Denham, Que., writes: "Baby's Own Tablets have been of great benefit to my little boy, who was suffering from constipation and indigestion. They quickly relieved him, and now he is in the best of health." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cts. a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Prohibition, observes a contemporary, has fairly taken some people's breath away.

### Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc.

Notwithstanding his unweirdy shape and short legs, the rhinoceros is one of the most agile of beasts. A horseman can scarcely manage to overtake him, and in strength he is perhaps unsurpassed by any animal in the forest. In single combat no animal but the elephant can stand up against him.

### Some Legacy

"When Mr. Casey died he left all he had to the orphan asylum." "Indeed? That was good of him. What did he leave?" "His twelve children."

**MIRINS** Rests, Relieves, Soothes, Heals—Keep your Eyes Strong and Healthy. If they are Smart, Red, or Burn, if Sore, Irritated, Inflamed or Granulated, use Mirins often. Safe for Infants or Adults. At All Druggists in Canada. Write for Free Eye Book. Mirins Company, Chicago, U.S.A.

### Storm Caused Heavy Loss

San Antonio, Texas.—From 15 to 25 are dead 4,000 persons are homeless, and property damage amounting to \$40,000 has been caused as a result of the tropical storm which struck Corpus Christi, a long distance message to the Express from Corpus Christi said. The city is without light and water, and food is running short. An appeal has been issued by the mayor for financial assistance.

### WHEN YOU SUFFER FROM RHEUMATISM

Almost any man will tell you that Sloan's Liniment means Relief

For practically every man has used it who has suffered from rheumatic aches, soreness of muscles, stiffness of joints, the results of weather exposure. Women, too, by the hundreds of thousands, use it for relieving neuritis, lame back, neuralgia, sick headache. Clean, refreshing, soothing, economical, quickly effective. Say "Sloan's Liniment" to your druggist. Get it today. 35c, 70c, \$1.40.—Made in Canada.

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Keep it handy

### Complimentary

Wife (examining husband's basket of fish): "Is it true that fish go about in schools?" Husband: "Yes, dear." Wife: "Then I suppose you fell in a-goin' to hurt 'em!"

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited. Gents.—A customer of ours cured a very bad case of distemper in a valuable horse by the use of MINARD'S LINIMENT. Yours truly, VILANDIE FRERES.

### No Calls for Jail Food

Butte, Montana.—In July no prisoners were fed in the city jail at Anaconda, Montana, a city of 12,000 people. Only 36 arrests were made by the city officials during the month, and no prisoners were in jail long enough to be fed. This condition contrasts strongly with the situation before Montana went dry.

A man's hair, it is estimated, turns grey 7 years earlier than a woman's.

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### American Settlers

#### In Canada

Regina, Sask.—Good prices are being paid by American settlers for farm lands in the vicinity of Regina, and a considerable amount of land is changing hands just now. Two farmers from Iowa have just purchased two sections near Gray at \$100 an acre, and a second price of \$110 was paid for the How farm at Rouleau, on the Soo line.

Miller's Worm Powders will not only expel worms from the system, but will induce healthful conditions of the system under which worms can no longer thrive. Worms keep a child in a continual state of restlessness and pain, and there can be no comfort for the little one until the cause of suffering be removed, which can be easily done by the use of these powders, than which there is nothing more effective.

No house in London is more than two hundred yards from a mail box or a branch of the general post office.

### Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

by LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will cure catarrh. It is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is composed of some of the best medicines known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is what produces such wonderful results in catarrh conditions.

Duplicate 75c. Testimonials free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Props, Toledo, Ohio.

The Dyaks of Borneo eat snakes and alligators, but their favorite dish is roasted monkey with the hair on.

### SUFFERING CATS! GIVE THIS MAN THE GOLD MEDAL

Let folks step on your feet hereafter; wear shoes a size smaller if you like, for corns will never again send electric spasms of pain through you, according to this Cincinnati authority.

He says that a few drops of a drug called Freezone, applied directly upon a tender, aching corn, instantly relieves soreness, and soon the entire corn, root and all, lifts right out. This drug is a sticky other compound, but dries at once and simply shrivels up the corn without inflammation or even irritating the surrounding tissue.

It is claimed that a quarter of an ounce of Freezone, obtained at any drug store will cost very little, but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet.

Cut this out, especially if you are a woman reader who wears high heels.

Howell: "Your wife is a decided blonde, isn't she?"

Powell: "Well, at times, but just before she goes to the drug store she is a little undeclared."

Eighty-five per cent. of lame people are affected on the left side.

### THE MAKING OF A FAMOUS MEDICINE

How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Is Prepared For Woman's Use.

A visit to the laboratory where this successful remedy is made impresses even the casual observer on with the reliability, accuracy, skill and earnestness which attend the making of this great medicine for woman's use.

Over 350,000 pounds of various herbs are used annually and all have to be gathered at the season of the year when their natural juices and medicinal substances are at their best.

The most successful solvents are used to extract the medicinal properties from these herbs.

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The letters from women who have been restored to health by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound which we are continually publishing attest to its virtue.

## Does your watch tell time in the dark?



**Ingersoll Radiolites do!**

### First German

#### Cargo Arrives

Former Hamburg-American-Atlas Liner at New York

New York.—The 1,500-ton steamer Jason, formerly the Virginia, of the Hamburg-American-Atlas line, has arrived here bringing the first cargo from Germany since the war ended. The ship left Hamburg, Germany, September 5, in charge of Captain W. H. Bevans.

Bevans said he took a cargo of meat to Germany and brought back 350 tons of sugar beet seed, plate glass, artificial flowers and beaded handbags.

The port of Hamburg is practically stripped of shipping, Bevans said. He saw only six steamers in the harbor there, and said three more were being constructed, including the Bismarck, which will be the largest vessel afloat. Food is plentiful in Hamburg, he asserted.

One ton of water may be colored by a single grain of indigo.

### A SAD TRAGEDY

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Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

The favorite word with a woman is the last one.

Asthma Overcome.—The triumph over asthma has assuredly come. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has proved the most positive blessing the victim of asthmatic attacks has ever known. Letters received from thousands who have tried it form a testimonial which leaves no room for doubt that here is a real remedy. Get it today from your dealer.

A Bedouin marriage does not take much time. The bridegroom kills a sheep and spills the blood on the sand at his father-in-law's threshold, and the wedding is over.

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Hicks: I say, waiter, where's my coffee?  
Waiter: You just drank it, sir.  
Hicks: What? I thought that was the soup!



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